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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION  
OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR  
1.136(a)**

Customer Number	24353
Application Number	09/844,929
Confirmation Number	2080
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First Named Inventor	KHAN, TAHIR S.
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Group Art Unit	1743
Attorney Docket	LIFE-015

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))   | \$ 110.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))   | \$ _____  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))   | \$ _____  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))  | \$ _____  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))  | \$ _____  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ _____. |           |

**The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0815. If additional fees are required, including extensions of time, please consider this a petition therefore. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.**

I am the:  applicant/inventor

assignee of record of the entire interest.  
See 37CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) is enclosed.

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